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Hi Bonnie and Alita,

I reviewed Alita's 43 clips and deleted 12, leaving 31. See notes below.

Thanks!

Dave



## News Clips from Region 9 Media Outlets

**August 13, 2015**

### Report Overview:

**Total Clips (31)**

**Air (7)**

**Brownfields / Superfund / Other Cleanups (2)**

**Climate Change (2)**





**Energy Issues (6)**























































**Research and Development (1)**















**Trash / Recycling / Solid Waste (1)**

**Water (7)**





**Other (5)**

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	Headline	Date	Outlet	Outlet State	
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Air (7)					
	Arizona G&T reaction to Clean Power Plan	08/12/2015	Arizona Range News Online	AZ	  
	California is ahead of the game as Obama releases Clean Power Plan	08/12/2015	Los Angeles Times Online	CA	  
	Can California cut gasoline use in half in 15 years? Probably not	08/12/2015	Telegram Online	CA	  
	L.A.'s air is clearer, but it remains dangerous for too many people	08/12/2015	Los Angeles Times Online	CA	  
	Obama unleashes drilling rigs while fighting global warming	08/12/2015	The Bee Online	CA	  
	State Senate leader urges regulators to close Exide plant in Vernon	08/12/2015	Los Angeles Times Online	CA	  
	Tropical Storm Hilda to Pass South of Hawaii Island	08/12/2015	Hulu Civil Beat	HI	  
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Brownfields / Superfund / Other Cleanups (2)					
	EPA chief Gina McCarthy says water quality in Animas back to "pre-event conditions"	08/18/2015	Breeze Online	CA	  
	Long-term effects of toxic spill unknown	08/17/2015	Times-Delta Online	CA	  
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Climate Change (2)					
	Deutsche Bank employees charged in emissions trading case - SFGate	08/13/2015	San Francisco Chronicle Online	CA	  
	U.S. review of Keystone XL taking 5 times longer than average	08/12/2015	San Francisco Chronicle Online	CA	  
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Energy Issues (6)					
	Big Island's Hawaiian Ocean View Estates to get major solar farm	08/19/2015	Business News Online	HI	  
	LNG needs to support Hawaii's renewable energy goal, state exec says	08/19/2015	Business News Online	HI	  
	Windmills kill: California	08/12/2015	San Francisco	CA	

	federal judge rules against 'eagle taking' rule - SFGate	08/12/2015	Chronicle Online	CA	 
	California OKs strict water standards for showerheads - SFGate	08/12/2015	San Francisco Chronicle Online	CA	  
	EPA: TUSD is No. 2 on Top 30 K-12 Schools Generating Green Power	08/12/2015	Arizona Local Media Online	AZ	  
	Solar power: Petition to continue net metering program beyond legislated megawatt limit rejected	08/12/2015	Vegas Review-Journal Online	NV	  





























#### Research and Development (1)

	Martinez beaver kits mysteriously dying	08/12/2015	Standard Online	CA	  
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#### Trash / Recycling / Solid Waste (1)

	Hawaii schools consider 'heat days' during scorching year	08/12/2015	Associated Press Online	NY	  
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#### Water (7)

	Due to drought, fish moved from San Joaquin Hatchery to Shaver Lake	08/12/2015	Bee Online	CA	  
	Groundwater pumping is changing Phoenix's surface	08/12/2015	Arizona Business Magazine Online	AZ	  
	L.A. fighting drought with millions of black plastic balls	08/12/2015	Times-Delta Online	CA	  
	Repair holes in drinking water fund	08/12/2015	Hulu Star-Advertiser Online	HI	  
	State lawmakers request millions in funding for district projects	08/12/2015	Los Angeles Times Online	CA	  
	State still releasing water to save fish	08/12/2015	San Diego Union-Tribune Online	CA	  
	Water agency seeks fish-farms balance in reservoir releases	08/12/2015	Grey County Herald Online	CA	  

#### Other (5)

	Frank Gehry and a tale of two Los Angeles rivers	08/12/2015	Telegram Online	CA	  
	A farmer's straight talk	08/12/2015	Los Angeles	CA	

	on the drought: Listen up, city dwellers	Times Online	
	Los Angeles covers reservoir waters with 'shade balls' - SFGate	08/12/2015 San Francisco CA Chronicle Online	
	Nature solves delta smelt issue	08/12/2015 Bee CA Online	
	Saving Water	08/12/2015 Los Angeles CA Business Journal Online	

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#### **DELETED:**

Neste's NEXBTL renewable diesel retail availability expands into Southern California (this is a press release)

State consumer agency opposes energy merger (not relevant to EPA)

County offers debris disposal: Residents affected by Willow Fire can use landfill for free (not relevant to EPA)

Brown orders California's first mandatory water restrictions: 'It's a different world' (this story was from April 1)

State fines Burlington over drinking water pollution (this is from Colorado)

Struggle to save endangered Santa Ana sucker may reach U.S. Supreme Court (this is from July 27 – we already covered it)

California water use dropped 13.5% in April, state board reports (this story is from May – outdated. LA Times is running a lot of these old stories online – watch out for stories we’ve covered weeks or months ago.)

The Clean Wave System -- Fresh, Clean Drinking Water Right from the Air! (this is a press release)

Summer White House no big deal on Martha's Vineyard (Obamas on vacation – not relevant to Region 9)

Pacific Northwest cities enact voluntary water reductions (not relevant to Region 9)

Plastic 'shade balls' save water -- and money – SFGate (this is a duplicate of same story, same paper)

**Nature solves delta smelt issue (this is a letter to the editor)**